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A. S. PALMER, Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, 29th March, 1895.

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ALE. WOOLLEY, Acting Superintendent.
Hongkong, 29th March, 1895.

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Consignees of Cargo by the above vessel, which arrived on Wednesday, are hereby notified that she will be discharged at once into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, from whence delivery will be given.
Goods remaining undelivered after the 3rd April will be subject to rent, and Claims must be made before that date, after which none will be admitted.
All Cargo is landed at Consignees' risk and no Fire Insurance will be effected by the Company. Bills of Lading should be presented to the Underwriter for Countersignature.
D. E. BROWN, General Agent.
Hongkong, 29th March, 1895.

THE EASTERN THE GREAT NORTH-AUSTRALASIA TELEGRAPH CO. LTD.
DURING my absence from Hongkong Mr. L. WEBSTER is in charge of the Office of the above COMPANY.
WALTER JUDD, Manager in Charge.
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CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.
ON behalf of the Customs Commissioner of Customs, the Undersigned hereby to notify for the information of all whom it may concern that the North Forenoon Ports of TAIKOT and KAUHONG are NOW CLOSED by Torpedoes.
Weather permitting, the Shipments and Discharge of Cargo is still possible outside Tamsui. H. ELGAR, COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS for Kowloon and District.
CUSTOM HOUSE, Kowloon, 27th March, 1895.

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.
THERE will be a PICK-UP GAME on the CRICKET GROUNDS TO-MORROW (SATURDAY) commencing at 11 a.m. All who wish to play will please sign their names on the Lists kept at the "Pavilion" and at the HONGKONG C.C. Club. This will be secured on the Ground if a sufficient number of Members signify their intention to play.
EDWARD A. RAM, Hon. Sec. H.K.C.C.
Hongkong, 29th March, 1895.

R. J. TRANNACK, DECEASED.
ALL Claims against and all Monies due to the Estate of the late RICHARD JAMES TRANNACK, of the IMPERIAL MARITIME CUSTOMS, who died at AMOY on the 18th January, 1895, must be sent in to the Distribution of BONDS on the 31st day of MARCH instant will be Adjusted by the Office, and no Claims or Alterations will be subsequently entertained.
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THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

Hongkong, 10th January, 1895.

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Correspondents are requested to send their communications to the Editor of the Daily Press, at the Dispensary, 10th January, 1895. The Editor is not responsible for the return of communications, but will be glad to receive them if they are sent to the Dispensary, 10th January, 1895.

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U.S. CRUISER ARRIVED FROM YOKOHAMA

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FROM SAIGON PAPERS.

AFFAIRS IN SPAIN.

PARIS, 20th March.

It is probable that Senor Sagasta will return to the Spanish Cabinet.

PARIS, 21st March.

There is some political agitation in Spain.

THE COOLIE STRIKE.

PUBLIC MEETING IN THE CITY HALL.

Yesterday afternoon a public meeting was held in the City Hall.

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HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Legislative Council was held yesterday afternoon.

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THE CANADIAN MAIL.
The C. P. steamer *Empress of Japan* arrived at Kobe at 6.30 a.m. on Wednesday, the 37th inst., and left again for Yokohama at 8 a.m. yesterday morning, where she is due at 7 a.m. today morning.

THE AMERICAN MAIL.
The O. & C. steamer *Gaelic*, with the American mail of the 5th March, left Nagasaki on Wednesday, the 26th inst., at 6 a.m., and may be expected here on or about Sunday, the 31st inst.

THE FRENCH MAIL.
The M. M. steamer *Soliman*, with the French mail of the 10th March, left Singapore on Wednesday, the 27th inst., at 6 a.m., and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 1st April. This packet brings reports to be dispatched from Hongkong on the 24th January.

THE INDIAN MAIL.
The steamer *Chelera*, from Calcutta and Brindley, left Singapore for this port on the 18th inst.

THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL.
The E. & A. steamer *Avila*, from Australia, left Port Darwin on the 24th inst., for this port, on the 28th inst.

MEDHMAN STEAMERS.
The N. B. G. steamer *Diagon* left Singapore for this port on the 21st inst., and may be expected here on or about the 28th inst.

The O. S. Co.'s steamer *Edmund* left Singapore on the morning of the 26th inst., and may be expected here on or about the 1st April.

The *Arcturion* left Bombay on the afternoon of the 15th inst., and is due here on or about the 6th April.

On this point, the meaning of the 22nd inst. was
that the ship would leave Singapore, London,
and Straits, left Singapore for this port on the
afternoon of the 22nd inst.

The P. & O. steamer *Shangai*: left London
on the 18th inst., via Suez, Aden, Bombay,
for the 15th port, via Victoria left Victoria,
C.C. for S.S. port, Japan, on the 22rd inst.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

PAID, DELIVERY, closes at Post Office at
1.30 p.m. and 3 p.m. or in Letter boxes, in the
evening, at 7 and 3.30 p.m. respectively.
Letters at Post will be closed at 12.30 and 4 p.m.

The Postal Guide for 1896, revised to date
will be found, in the Chinese and Directory
sections of the paper, as authorised complete
summary of Postal information published in
Singapore.

For the anticipated local mails issued in
Singapore, the one published in the paper
every such day, in our issue, which is correct-
to a much extent more than that given below.

A MAIL SERVICE FOR

For Singapore, - Per Ocean, to-day, the 23th
inst., at 3.30 P.M.

For Singapore, - Per Aden, to-morrow, the
30th inst., at 1.30 A.M.

For Singapore, - Per Germanischinde, to-
morrow, the 30th inst., at 1.30 A.M.

For Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama - Per
Ferret, to-morrow, the 30th inst., at 11.30 A.M.

MAILS TO THE FRENCH CONTRACT PACKET Sydney will be dispatched on **WEDNESDAY**, the 3rd April, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, viz. Havre, Antwerp, Rotterdam, Bremen, Hamburg, Berlin, Cologne, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichry, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

The general agents will be observed in closing the Mails.

BOARDS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS.

When the Packet leaves at Noon.

The following hours will be observed in closing the mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets, which will leave at Noon. The General Order Office will be closed at 5 p.m. the day before.

8.00 A.M.—Posting of Prices Current and Circulars closes.

9.00 A.M.—Circulars, may, however, be sent up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles immediately by the post, with the addresses all one way.

10.30 A.M.—Posting of newspapers, books, and pamphlets closes.

11.00 A.M.—Mail closes.

11.15 A.M.—Circulars may be posted (from 11.15 to 12.15) on *laissez faire* up to 11.30 A.M. after which *laissez faire* may be sent on board with the *laissez faire*.

MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET.

The German Contract Packet **Bayer** will be dispatched on **WEDNESDAY**, the 3rd April, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, viz. Havre, Antwerp, Rotterdam, Bremen, Hamburg, Berlin, Cologne, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichry, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

Registry closes at 1:00 P.M. The mail closes at 2:00 P.M.
Late letters till 2:30 P.M. with 10 cents extra postage.

**MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES
PACKET**

The United States Mail Packet *Gustie* will be dispatched on TUESDAY, the 21st April, with Mail for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be enclosed follows:-

11:00 A.M.-Registry closes.
11:00 A.M.-Post Office closes, but correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with
Letter of 10 cents extra postage until the time of departure.

KANAKA of JAPAN.

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